



2002 Census of Agriculture House District Profile

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House District 189, Pennsylvania

Number of farms	110
Land in farms (acres)	10,000
Average size of farm (acres)	91
Irrigated Acres	9
Total Number of Farm Operators	174
Market Value of Production (dollars)	1,776,000
Market Value of Production, average per farm (dollars)	16,149
Government Payments (dollars)	35,000
Government Payments, average per farm (dollars)	3,485
Gross Income from Farms Related Sources (dollars) 1/	27,000

FARMS BY SIZE

1-9 Acres/Farm	21
10-49 Acres/Farm	39
50-179 Acres/Farm	36
180-499 Acres/Farm	11
500-999 Acres/Farm	3
1,000+ Acres/Farm	-

LAND USE

Farms with Cropland	99
Farms with Woodland	56
Farms with Other	63
Farms with Pasture and Rangeland	18

Quantity State rank Universe 2/

MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)

Total value of agricultural products sold	1,776	122	179
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VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) 3/

Grains and oilseeds	459	84	147
Tobacco	-		30
Cotton and cottonseed	-		
Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes	292	93	152
Fruit, tree nuts, and berries	17	128	144
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod crops	296	133	166
Cut Christmas trees and woody crops	53	68	132
Poultry and eggs	3	114	129
Cattle and calves	56	120	146
Milk products	288	114	126
Hogs and pigs	6	110	127
Sheep, goats, and their products	4	109	134
Horses, ponies, mules	44	89	130
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	86

House District 189, Pennsylvania (continued)

	Quantity	State rank	Universe 2/
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)			
Layers 20 weeks old and older	524	98	137
Cattle and calves	436	119	150
Broilers and other meat-type chickens	400	71	115
Horses and ponies	217	104	153
Mules, burros, and donkeys	(D)	(D)	108
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TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)			
Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop	1,750	104	158
Corn for grain	1,149	100	141
Soybeans	887	75	124
All Wheat for grain	(D)	(D)	128
Cut Christmas trees	132	67	136
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FARMS BY VALUE OF SALES			
Less than \$1,000	39		
\$1,000 to \$2,499	18		
\$2,500 to \$4,999	22		
\$5,000 to \$9,999	13		
\$10,000 to \$19,999	3		
\$20,000 to \$24,999	2		
\$25,000 to \$39,999	2		
\$40,000 to \$49,999	1		
\$50,000 to \$99,999	3		
\$100,000 to \$249,999	7		
\$250,000 to \$499,999	-		
\$500,000 or more	-		
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	1,819		
Average per farm (dollars)	17,486		
Net cash return from agricultural sales for the farm unit (\$1,000)	-563		
Average per farm (dollars)	-5,416		
PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY PRIMARY OCCUPATION			
Farming	55		
Other	55		
PRINCIPAL OPERATORS BY GENDER			
Male	91		
Female	19		
Average age of principal operator (years)	53		
ALL OPERATORS BY RACE 4/			
White	158		
Black or African American	-		
American Indian or Alaska Native	-		
Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	-		
Asian	-		
More than one race	-		
All operators with Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin 4/	-		

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

1/ Custom work, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.

2/ Universe is the number of house districts in the state with the item. Pennsylvania has 203 house districts.

3/ Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

4/ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.

5/ Items with a rank that cannot be disclosed are separated by a blank line. Position in the table does not indicate rank.